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In re Application: Bani, et al.  
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For: 2-METHOXY-5-(5-TRIFLUOROMETHYL-TETRAZOL-1-YL-BENZYL)-2S-PHENYL-  
PIPERDIN-3S-YL)AMINE FOR THE TREATMENT OF SOCIAL PHOBIA

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Prior to substantive examination, please amend and consider the instant application  
in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Specification** appear on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** appear on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.

An **Abstract** is attached on pages 5 of this paper.